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## SECOND STATUS INQUIRY

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and an Amendment/Response were filed on October 5, 2004 in response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2004. However, since then Applicant has not received any communication from the Patent Office regarding the RCE and Amendment/Response. Inquiry is made as to when a communication will be forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,

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